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Letter 19049-F/52-1 dt. 19.3.52

Copy to- The Hon.Sri.A.B.Shetty,
Minister, Govt. of Madras.
Madras.

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MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
11 MAR 1952
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
10 MAR 1952
MINISTER FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Memorandum presented to the Director of Postal Services, Madras, by the Citizens of Karkala Town, South Kanara District.

Dear Sir,

On the occasion of your visit to our town, we wish to bring forward to your notice the following matters for your consideration and favourable orders.

1. Trunk Telephone - P.C.O. at Karkala:

We have been agitating for trunk telephone connection since the last three or four years and a copy of the Memorandum quite recently submitted to the Post Master General, Madras is enclosed herewith for your perusal and necessary action.

2. It has been a regular experience that the telegraph line connecting Karkala to Mangalore gets out of order at frequent intervals due to some reason or other. This causes a good deal of hardship to the Public of Karkal town as well as people of the surrounding villages. Further, we learn that Malpe is also working on Karkal/Mangalore line thereby causing undue delay to the messages from Karkala; Malpe being a port area which is having heavy telegraph traffic during season times. We also learn that Moodbidri on the Karkal Mangalore line has been sanctioned telegraph connections and will be connected to Karkala. In this respect we would like to suggest the desirability of having a new line from Karkala to Mangalore direct which can also be utilised for the telegraphic traffic from Moodbidri, Bajpe Aerodrome, Gurpur and Kulshekar which will become a necessity for the above mentioned places in the near future.

3. Opening of a Post Office in the Bazar Area.

The only Sub Post Office is at one corner of the town and is away from the busy bazar area and the main residential area. Due to the distance, considerable amount of hardship and inconvenience is experienced by the public to obtain postal stationery and avail of booking facilities. As such we request a non-delivery sub office or in the least a non-delivery E.D.S.O. may be opened in the bazar area.

4. Effecting another Clearance.

The only clearance to Mangalore R.M.S. existing now is at 2.30 P.M. and all letters posted after 2.30 P.M. will be despatched only the next day at 2.30 P.M. We would therefore suggest that a further clearance may be effected at 6.00 P.M. and a separate Mail bag may be despatched to Mangalore R.M.S. as is done at present by the Udipi Post Office. Likewise a separate Mail bag may be despatched in the evening from Mangalore R.M.S. to Karkala as is done in the case of Udipi.

5. Arranging Express Delivery Facilities on Sundays.

"Express Delivery" letters are either despatched or delivered on Sundays in the case of Udipi. We request that the above facility may be extended to Karkala also.

K. P. MUKUNDA PRABHU, B.A.,
KARKALA P. O.
SOUTH KANARA DT.,
MADRAS STATE.

p.t.o.

6. Delay in local delivery due to shortage of Postmen.

It has been a constant experience of the public that local deliveries are commenced at late hours, sometimes in the afternoon. In the case of registered articles, V.P.P. articles and M.O's, it causes undue delay and anxiety to the public. Especially registered articles which may contain railway receipts, cheques, drafts etc. when delivered late causes delay in realization. We are told that this is due to shortage of Postmen and also due to the vast area the Post Office has to serve. ~~It is~~

It is our earnest hope that our representation will be sympathetically considered and favourable orders issued at an early date. Assuring you of our co-operation at all times in matters affecting the welfare of your vital Department,

We remain,
Yours Faithfully,

Karkala, S.K.
Dated 12-2-1952.

K. P. Mukunda Prabhu

K. P. MUKUNDA PRABHU, B.A.,
KARKALA P. O.
SOUTH KANARA DT.,
MADRAS STATE.

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Letter no: 19049-F/52-1 dt. 19.3.52.

To

The P.M.G., Madras Circle, Madras.

Sir,

Sub: P&T. S. Kanara Dt. - Karkala Town - P&T Facilities Memorandum.

Ref: Memorandum dt. 12.2.53 presented to the Director of Postal Services by Sri Mukunda Rao, M.A., on behalf of the Citizens of Karkala Town, S. K. Dt.

I am directed to forward for necessary action a Copy of the memo: cited.

DA: Copy of memorandum.

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Indian Posts and Telegraphs Department.

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From The Postmaster-General,
Madras Circle,
Madras.2.

To Sri S. Krishnamachari, L.A.,
Asst.Secretary to Govt.,
(P.W.D.) Fort St.George,
M A D R A S.S.

No IL/LB.196., dated at Madras.2. the 2nd April 1952

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Sub:- Posts & Telegraphs - S.K. District. - Karkala Town - P & T facilities - Memorandum.

Ref:- Your letter No. 19049-F/52-1, dated 19-3-'52.

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter cited above, I write to inform you that the matter is receiving attention.

Yours faithfully,

for Postmaster-General.

L & Co. 4141/D-4 6-11-51—85,000

Corr.-7.

Indian Posts and Telegraphs Department.

From The Postmaster General,
Madras Circle, Madras-2.

To The Secretary to Government
(Public Works Department)
Govt. of Madras,
Fort St. George, Madras-9

ADDL. ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVT. 15 APR 1952 PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

No. P.1065/EN dated Madras-2 the 8th April 52. 195

Sir,

Sub: Posts and Telegraphs - South Kanara Dist - Karkala Town - Posts and Telegraphs facilities-memorandum.

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Ref: Your letter No. 19049-F/52-1 dated 19-3-52 and this office No.ML/LB.126 dated 2-4-52.

The work of opening a Public Call Office at Karkala is already approved and the same will be opened shortly. Shri. Prabhu of the Karkala Panchayat Board has already been informed of the same.

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Yours faithfully,

for. Postmaster General, Madras.

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